

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. Of: LAPORTA  
Serial No.: 10/597,073  
Filed: July 10, 2006  
For: BOTTLE STOPPER  
Group: 3781 Confirmation No. 5725  
Examiner: Hylton, Robin Annette DOCKET: MARKS PA 4879

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**AMENDMENT B WITH RCE**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Final Action dated August 5, 2010. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Petition for a One Month Extension accompany this Amendment.

Please amend the Application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

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